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#### COLORED REPUBLICANS

A large number of colored Republicans met in the court house last Saturday. Lisbon P. Berry, lawyer and school teacher, called the meeting to order. Al Haughton, a well known school teacher, was elected Chairman, and Martin A. Whitted, of Hillsboro, was requested to act as Secretary. The meeting was composed of some of the best colored people in the County, and was conducted in a very creditable manner. Speeches were made by John Webb, Jr., Swain Kirkland, London A. Whitted, Wilson Caldwell, L. P. Berry, Al Haughton, and others. All of the speakers announced their determination to oppose the election of white men to office who were not willing to vote for colored men and give them appointments to office that they are competent to fill. They claimed that some of their race ought to have been appointed storekeepers and gaugers, census takers, &c., and denounced in strong terms white Republicans who would not recommend colored men for one of the positions named. London A. Whitted, a school teacher at Chapel Hill, was nominated for the House of Representatives, and L. P. Berry, for the Senate. Below we publish the resolutions adopted by the mass meeting:

WHEREAS, We the colored Republicans of Orange County, North Carolina, feeling the need of reform in our local affairs; and

WHEREAS, We have suffered long and patiently gross injustice by the white Republicans of the County and District in taking all the spoils. They have not asked for the appointment of any colored person from Orange County in 20 years, and when the colored people have requested an appointment, they have been repeatedly turned away with promises or their wishes treated with utter contempt.

WHEREAS, We in mass meeting assembled on this the 9th day of August 1890, do find it necessary to offer and adopt the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That we commend the National administration.

*Resolved*, That we condemn the local management of the Republican party.

*Resolved*, That we condemn the secret Republican meeting held in the city of Raleigh, N. C., which sent a white delegation to Washington to oppose the appointment of colored persons to office in this State.

*Resolved*, That we nominate a Legislative ticket at some future day, and that a committee of five from each township be empowered to make said nomination.

*Resolved*, That we nominate L. P. Berry, Esq., of Hillsboro, as our candidate for Senator from this the 29th Senatorial District, and we ask our brethren and friends in other Counties composing the District, viz.: Durham, Person and Caswell, to give him their support.

*Resolved*, That we endorse the call of a Colored State Convention to meet in the city of Raleigh on the 26th inst.

*Resolved*, That we appoint 6 delegates and 6 alternates to said Convention.

*Resolved*, That we the colored Republicans of Orange County will act independently until our rights are recognized, and some colored person appointed to office from Orange County.

*Resolved*, That we endorse the free and independent spirit of the *Progress*, published at Greensboro, and the *Gazette*, published in the city of Raleigh.

*Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the *Progress* and *Gazette* for publication.

#### STRONG MEN.

Women love strong men. A weak man may excite their sympathy and a woman's careful tenderness soothes and softens the anguish of a weak man's soul, but the laughing, joyful, warm, exuberant love of women dear belongs to the men that are strong and noble and kind. Then why will a man continue weak and mean and peevish?

An old grecian writer, El. B. B. gives me new life and strength. If there is anything that will make a old man young, it is El. B. B.

Some men say, and women too, they never feel weak and man except in the spring. Why then feel weak and meek and nervous and prostrated in the spring time when the sun and spirit awakes with thrilling energy even the vegetal world? Must you allow sluggish blood, inactive organic functions, rusty joints and general weariness to make your life miserable simply because the long winter has restrained your natural activity? It need not be. If only you will use that pleasant and incomparable tonic blood purifier known as B. B. or Botanic Blood Balsam your health in spring time will be all that you can wish. Try it this spring. Try it now.

P. A. Shepherd, Norfolk, Va., August 10, 1888, writes: "I depend on B. B. for the preservation of my health. I have had it in my family now nearly two years, and in all that time have not had to have a doctor."

#### -DO YOUR DUTY.-

In Orange County there is but one newspaper published—the ORANGE COUNTY OBSERVER—and it should be taken by every family in the county. There is also but one Book Store. Do you SEE?

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#### NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

Mrs. E. G. Tarrentine died in Durham last Sunday.

*Progressive Farmer*: A cow near New Bern got her head caught in a hole in a tree and could not get it out. She was forced to stay without food or water until found 11 days after.

*Raleigh Advocate*: We are glad to learn that Rev. L. W. Crawford has accepted the professorship at Trinity College, N. C., to which he was recently elected. He will fill the position in a manner creditable to himself and highly satisfactory to the church.

*Raleigh News and Observer*: Mr. Kirby Smith and his attorney, Mr. W. T. Dorch, Jr., passed through the city yesterday and spent part of the day here. They are making extensive preparations for the prosecution of the damage suit against the University. The case will come up at the next term of Wayne Superior Court.

*Wilmington Star*: Rev. Sam P. Jones telegraphed yesterday that he would commence his meetings here on Thursday, the 25th of September.

The meetings will continue

not less than ten days, and possibly two weeks. No definite arrangement has yet been made for the site for the tabernacle, but the committee in charge will have everything prepared in due season.

*Wilmington Messenger*: The Raleigh *Christian Advocate* will have an editor for the Western Conference if it becomes the organ of that body. If Dr. Reid is properly sustained by the two bodies he can greatly improve an already good and efficient paper. In fact, by enlarging and increasing his editorial force he can make it equal to any Southern Methodist paper.

Mrs. Sarah Wheeler, relict of Rev. James Wheeler, of the North Carolina Conference M. E. Church, died at Bladen Springs, N. C., on the 7th July, 1890, nearly 90 years of age. She was a native of Bladen county, was a very devoutly religious woman and member of the Methodist E. Church, to which she belonged for more than fifty years. Her husband lived to be past his seventieth year. She died in great peace and capture of soul.

*Durham Sun*: Messrs. W. Duke, Sons & Co., have decided to build their new storage house on the west side of their present factory, and hence the old dwelling house of Mr. W. Duke is to give place to this new building. It will be 120 by 200 feet, making a total frontage of the factory on the railroad of 305 feet, filling up the entire block. This new wing will make the Duke factory one of the largest buildings in the State as well as one of the most imposing. It will be five stories, and located on the upper side of the present building, it will be more convenient to steam and the power of their large engine. The Messrs. W. Duke, Sons & Co., compose one of the most progressive firms in North Carolina.

#### REMARKABLE RESCUE.

Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at W. A. Hayes' Drugstore, large bottles 50c. and \$1.

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#### HIS SON CURED.

Mr. W. H. Hinman, a prominent and influential citizen of Mount Vernon, Ill., writes as follows, under date of March 11, 1890: "One bottle of Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) cured my son permanently of a stubborn case of Blood Poison that defied the best medical treatment available. I have recommended S. S. S. to others for blood troubles and diseases of the skin and have never known it to fail to cure in my case."

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#### Kemmler Suffers Death From Electricity.

The long delayed execution of William Kemmler, for the murder of Tillie Ziegler in March 1888, has taken place. It was the first execution under the new system of electricity as provided by the statute of New York. The accounts of the execution in all its details are interesting but too lengthy for our columns.

At 6:43 Wednesday morning, August 7, the current was turned on, all preparations having been arranged. In an instant there was a sudden convulsion of the criminal's body, and the twitchings of the muscles of the face gave it the appearance of pain but no cry escaped the lips of the man. At the extraction of the tenth second the electric current was switched off and Kemmler examined. It was found he was not dead and an order was given to turn on the current again. There was delay but soon two thousand volts were sent through the body. It was a sickening scene. The physicians, however, declared that Kemmler suffered no pain.

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